

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7705  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ENRG, BEXP, CS  
SUBJECT: GEOTHERMAL POWER DEVELOPMENT

REF: STATE 111513

FOR: S. FRED NOONAN  
BECHTEL CORPORATION  
TELEX NO. 89-2484  
WASHINGTON D.C.  
(202) 783-6340

REF: YOUR TELEX OF JUNE 6, 1977

1. EMBASSY WOULD BE PLEASED TO PROVIDE APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE  
IN CONNECTION WITH THE OFFER OF YOUR SERVICES TO COSTA RICAN  
ELECTRICITY INSTITUTE (ICE) FOR THEIR DEVELOPMENT OF GEOTHERMAL  
POWER IN GUANACASTE AREA OF COSTA RICA. PLEASE NOTE THAT ROGERS  
ENGINEERING AND GEOTHERMIC ARE CURRENTLY PROVIDING CONSULTING  
SERVICES TO ICE FOR THIS PROJECT. PRESENT INDICATIONS ARE THAT,  
IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS, ICE WILL ISSUE A CALL FOR PREQUALIFICATION  
OF FIRMS TO PROVIDE DRILLING, AND EVALUATION SERVICES FOR THE  
SECOND PHASE OF THIS PRORZCT. THE CONTACT IN ICE IS:

ING. MANUEL CORRALES  
JEFE DEL DEPTO. DE PROGRAMAS DE GENERACION  
INSTITUTO COSTARRICENSE DE ELECTRICIDAD (ICE)  
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2. BACKGROUND MATERIAL ON GEOTHERMAL PROJECT HAS BEEN AIRMAILED  
TO YOU. EMBASSY CONTACT IS CHARLES H. DUDLEY, COMMERCIAL ATTACHE

3. GIVEN YOUR INTEREST AND EXPERIENCE IN THIS TYPE OF PROJECT,  
YOU MAY WISH TO CONSIDER PARTICIPATING IN GEOTHERMAL ENERGY  
SALES SEMINAR TO BE HELD IN SAN JOSE, GUATEMALA CITY AND MEXICO  
CITY, DURING THE PERIOD NOV 2,-16, 1977. THE SEMINAR IS  
SPONSORED BY THE U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND THE CONTACT IN  
WASHINGTON IS WALTER BASTIAN, (202) 377-3636.  
AMERICAN EMBASSY  
SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA  
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